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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
OAKLAND DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff,
v.
MARK ESTES PETERSON,
Defendant.

No. CR-10-00213-CW

ORDER EXCLUDING TIME PURSUANT TO THE SPEEDY TRIAL ACT

Date: April 12, 2010
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Court: Hon. Donna M. Ryu

Defendant Mark Estes Peterson appeared at a status conference before the Court on April 12, 2010. With the agreement of the parties, and with the consent of the defendant, the Court enters this order documenting the exclusion of time pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B), from April 12, 2010 to May 6, 2010. The parties agreed, and the Court found and held, as follows:

1. Defendant sought and agreed to the exclusion of time pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act so that defense counsel would have time to investigate and prepare for the trial of this

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matter, taking into account the exercise of due diligence.

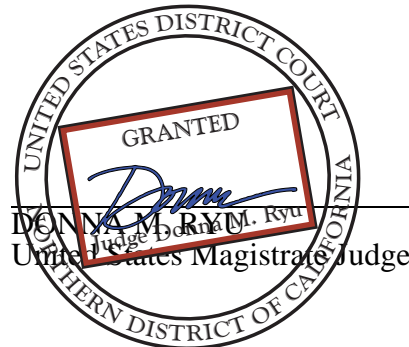
2. Given these circumstances, the Court found that the ends of justice served by excluding the period from April 12, 2010 to May 6, 2010, from Speedy Trial Act calculations outweighs the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial by allowing for the defense to prepare effectively, in accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B).

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

With the consent of defendant Mark Estes Peterson, the period from April 12, 2010 to May 6, 2010, is excluded from the Speedy Trial Act calculations for effective preparation of counsel and pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B)(iv).

IT IS SO ORDERED

DATED: April 13, 2010



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